

BIG SANDY NEWS.

Aut inveniam viam, aut faciam,

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THE NEWS OF THE WEEK.

A Daily Resume of Important Happenings.

January 27.

Fire destroyed the Smith Hotel at Augusta, Ky. The flames spread to adjoining property. Engines were asked of Mayaville.

The President received a committee of the interchurch conference on marriage and divorce and made them a brief speech yesterday. He told them that legislators are apt to have their attention riveted upon questions of ephemeral importance, like the tariff, or the currency, rather than on those of vital character such as the preservation of the home.

A special officer who went from Lexington to Jackson to serve bench warrants upon Judge James Hargis, former State Senator Alex Hargis, Elbert Hargis, Sheriff Callahan and Deputy Sheriff Jesse Spicer, of Breathitt county, indicted in the Fayette Circuit Court for conspiracy to murder James Cockrell, wired that the men refused to accompany him to Lexington for trial.

In the House yesterday there was a general debate on the power to fix railroad rates conferred by the bill, during which, Mr. Williams, a spokesman for his party on the floor of the House, declared that the Democratic party was committed, without addition or subtraction, to the recommendations of President Roosevelt in his recent message.

No serious outbreaks are reported anywhere in Russia except at Riga, where, according to reports received by London news agencies, thirty men were killed or wounded in a conflict with troops. In Moscow some of the employers are evincing a willingness to make some concessions to their workmen, but there has been no general agreement on that point. In St. Petersburg the return of workmen has enabled several factories to resume operations, and the authorities hope to witness a general resumption there on Monday. The Minister of the Interior has promised to consider the cases of the prominent writers who were sent to the St. Peter and St. Paul fortress for their activity in the political and economic agitation.

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January 28.

Samuel H. Piles, of Seattle, Wash., was elected United States Senator. He is a native of Livingston county, Kentucky.

Through his counsel Judge Swayne yesterday answered in the Senate to the summons in connection with the impeachment proceedings. His attorney obtained a week's time to make a complete response, and February 10 was fixed as the time for the actual beginning of the trial.

It is believed in Frankfort that the special session of the Legislature will end by the last of the week with the passage of a bill providing a new site for the Capitol. The constitutional majority necessary to carry an appropriation bill was secured in the House yesterday for the Wells substitute, which provides for the selection of the Hunt property.

Chief of Detectives Marshal, who went to Breathitt county to secure the arrest of the Breathitt men indicted by the Fayette grand jury for complicity in the murder of James Cockrell, returned to Lexington alone, the accused refusing to accompany him, on the ground that they were under the jurisdiction of the Breathitt county authorities, having been arrested January 25 on the same charge. Court records show also that the men were arrested early in December on the charge of complicity in the Cockrell murder, and that they were released on bonds of \$2,000 each to answer to the Breathitt county grand jury on February 13.

Every indication seems to point to the disintegration of the strike movement in Russia. Several large factories in St. Petersburg re-opened yesterday, and a general resumption of work on Monday is expected. At Warsaw yesterday there was a serious collision between workmen and soldiers, official reports giving the casualties as two killed and seven wounded. The strike at Libau continues, and there is no material change in the situation at Moscow, Saratoff and Lodz. There are fears of trouble at Ivanovo-Vosnesk, the foremost cotton-goods manufacturing town in the empire. Predictions are made that the end of the strike will be realized in increased activity on the part of the revolutionists.

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H. B. Young, a wealthy farmer of Carter county, was killed near Olive Hill by a C. & O. train. He was riding a horse on the track when struck. He was seventy years of age.

Capt. Baldwin's airship made a successful trip at Los Angeles yesterday in flight forty-five minutes, moving in every direction and finally descending in the enclosure from which it arose.

The development of the Kentucky oil fields in January almost equaled the showing made in December, despite the bad weather and the fact that the lowest price in the history of the field was realized for the product.

W. B. Hawking, president of the

ROYAL Baking Powder Saves Health

The use of Royal Baking Powder is essential to the healthfulness of the family food.

Yeast ferments the food.
Alum baking powders are injurious.

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Year of Development.

The Rev. G. C. Cromer, of Louisville, parson of the Third English Lutheran Church, at the morning service Sunday threw copies of the works of Shakespeare, Burns and Byron, the Sunday Courier-Journal and a magazine into the stove and burned them before his congregation. In his sermon he explained that he did not consider the books fit to be in a Christian's home and that he opposed all Sunday newspapers.

A dispatch from Jackson states that the Hargis brothers will accompany their attorneys to Frankfort, where a petition will be filed with the Court of Appeals setting forth their claims to be under the jurisdiction of the Breathitt courts. In view of the fact they will have to go through Lexington to reach Frankfort, the belief is expressed in certain quarters that they will be arrested by the Lexington authorities.

The Grand Duke Sergius in Russia and his cohorts are ruling with an iron hand. Writers are being arrested and censorship is being more rigidly enforced than ever. In Poland the disorders are spreading. In Warsaw pillage has begun. Shops were looted and collisions have taken place between rioters and police. Prince Guerrier, an officer of the police guard at Batoum, has been killed. Baron Gupson is said to have escaped to Finland. It is intimated from St. Petersburg that the situation has gone so far that the autocracy cannot extricate itself without making concessions.

A NIGHT ALARM.

Worse than an alarm of fire at night is the brassy cough of croup, which sounds like the children's shrill knell and it means death unless something is done instantly. Foley's Honey and Tar never fails to give instant relief and quickly cures the worst forms of croup. Mrs. P. L. Corder, of Miamington, Ky., writes: "My three year old girl had a severe case of croup; the doctor said she could not live. I got a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar, the first dose gave quick relief and saved her life." Refuse substitutes. Sold by Louis Drug Co.

Had Lots of News.

"Do you know anything new?" was asked of a farmer by a newspaper man the other day. "No, I guess not," was the reply. Then he added: "I just came to town to send a doctor out to my place." "What's wrong there?" was asked. "Well," the farmer replied, "two of the triplets are sick; my oldest boy is down with malaria; my hired man broke his collar bone, and my nearest neighbor fell off a load of hay and fractured his right leg. You see we need a doctor pretty bad. Sorry I haven't any news for you." "Wait a minute," said the newspaper man, "I'll go with you. You're full of news."

TRUST THOSE WHO HAVE TRIED.

I suffered from catarrh; the kind and never hoped for cure, but Ely's Cream Balm seems to do even that—Oscar Ostrom, 45 Warren Ave., Chicago, Ill.

I suffered from catarrh; it got so bad I could not work, I used Ely's Cream Balm and am entirely well—A. C. Clarke, 341 Shawmut Ave., Boston, Mass.

The Balm does not irritate or cause sneezing. Sold by druggists at 50cts or mailed by Ely Bros., 55 Warren St., New York.

Make Use of the Lemon.

If you are thin, avoid the advice of any beauty doctor who tells you to drink the juice of a lemon in water every morning before breakfast. It will pare down your flesh nearer to the bones than ever. Worse than that, it will sap your strength. But if you will flesh to lose, in the lemon you will find an ally in the lemon—It will begin the work which diet and exercise will complete. The juice of a lemon in a glass of unsweetened water and taken faithfully morning and night, a bill of fare from which potatoes, butter, sugar and liquids are eliminated, and a large amount of exercise will surely reduce anybody's weight, and do it easily and harmlessly.

THAT TICKLING IN THE THROAT. One minute after taking One Minute Cough Cure that tickling in the throat is gone. It acts in the throat, not in the stomach. Harmless—good for children. Sold by Louis Drug Company.

THE SUNSHINE OF SPRING. The salve that cures without a scratch! DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Cuts, burns, boils, bruises and piles disappear before the use of this salve as snow before the sunshine of spring. Miss H. M. Middleton, Thebes, Ill., says: "I was seriously afflicted with a fever so that was very painful. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured me in less than a week." Get the genuine. Sold by Louis Drug Co.

The Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad

has just issued some interesting data relative to the operation of its freight and passenger trains for 1904. They show that rail travel is not nearly as dangerous as is believed. With 12,000 employees, of whom 3,000 are trainmen, but four were killed in the operations of its hundreds of trains, not one was seriously injured. The distance covered by trains was 10,000 miles and the number of tons of freight hauled 12,000,000.

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Ginseng.

(Written for the Epitomist.)

Ginseng growing is a profitable industry and the scarcity of the wild plant together with the increased demand will cause the cultivated root to bring remunerative prices. It is also true that the ginseng industry has been a little overdone especially by men who have plants or seeds to sell, but this has been the case with almost every industry while in its infancy. It will be remembered that when the Rhode Island Reds first became popular, eggs from all kinds of stock were shipped till there was a great reaction which did much damage to the club. So a great many who have tried the ginseng business without any knowledge or previous experience and have failed, are ever ready to condemn the industry. The writer commended the business by planting a seed bed and not getting a single plant from over 2,000 seeds, concluded that he would quit the business. Later on, however, he visited a neighbor who was growing ginseng and learned his methods of cultivating the plant. Beginning again on improved methods good results were attained. The three things most essential to its growth are good soil, shade and moisture. Artificial shade is best as natural shade always absorbs moisture from the soil at the expense of the ginseng. It is wonderful how many roots can be grown on a small plot of ground. A plot of ground 7 ft. by 20 ft. will grow from five to eight bushels of roots. I read with amusement the article in Farm Stock Journal on "Romance in Figures," and thought that the fellow who took the kernel of corn and planted it with its increased yield for the number of years stated is as sure as that we live and grow crops. It cannot be otherwise. Every crop of wheat, corn, oats, potatoes or grass makes heavy drafts on soil fertility. And it has come to be a recognized truth that even fruit trees require liberal applications of fertilizer. There is a lack of what is commonly called barnyard manure.

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Announcement.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE:
We are authorized to announce
HARVEY JOSE, JR.,
as a candidate for County Judge of Lawrence subject to the action of the Democratic party.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Judge of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.
W. H. WOODS.

We are authorized to announce
R. F. VINSON
as a candidate for the office of Judge of the Lawrence County Court, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Judge of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.
JOHN H. THOMPSON.
This Jan. 23, 1905.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:
We are authorized to announce
G. W. SKAGGS,
as a candidate for County Attorney of Lawrence County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
G. E. FUGETT
as a candidate for County Attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR COUNTY COURT CLERK:
We are authorized to announce
FRANK A. JOHNSON
as a candidate for County Court Clerk of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
ADD. SKERNS
as a candidate for the office of County Court Clerk of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
WALLACE W. JOHNS
as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of County Court Clerk of Lawrence county.

FOR SHERIFF:
We are authorized to announce
N. B. MCGUIRE
as a candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence county subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
M. G. THOMPSON
as a candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
JOHN G. BURNS
as a candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
JAMES S. JORDAN
as a candidate for Jailer of Lawrence county subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
DAVID SHORT
as a candidate for Jailer of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Jailer of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Al Hays.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS:
We are authorized to announce
MRS. HANNAH M. LACKEY
as a candidate for Superintendent of Schools of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR ASSESSOR:
We are authorized to announce
THOS. H. LARGE
as a candidate for Assessor of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

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LABAN T. SIMPSON
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FOR MAGISTRATE:
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J. W. SHANNON
as a candidate for Magistrate in Louisville District, No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
JOHN A. COMPTON
as a candidate for Magistrate in the District composed of the Fallsburg and Bear Creek precincts, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

The Court of Appeals granted a temporary writ of injunction against the Judge of the Fayette Circuit Court restraining, until further order, proceedings in that court against the Hargis brothers and Ed

REPUBLICAN ANNOUNCEMENTS.
We are authorized to announce
ROBERT MEAD
as a candidate for Assessor of Lawrence county subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce
JOHN ESTEP
as a candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce
E. G. CORDLE
of Blaine, as a candidate for Jailer of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

Gentlemen and Voters:—I am a candidate asking the Republican nomination for Supt. of Schools, Lawrence county. Should I be your choice to fight the Nov. 1905 battle, though severely wounded, I shall remain, Yours respectfully,
J. H. THOMPSON,
Cordell, Ky.

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ALONZO L. BURTON
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Callahan, indicted for the murder of James Cockrell. Final hearing of a motion for a permanent writ of prohibition will be had on Friday, February 10, on which day the court will hear arguments on the motion. Warrants against James Hargis, Alexander Hargis, Ed Callahan and B. F. French were issued at Winchester Tuesday, charging them with interfering with witnesses in the Marcus damage suit. French has been arrested at Winchester.

The Joint Conference Committee of the Kentucky Legislature agreed upon certain changes to be made in the Wells Bill, the principle of which is a provision for the purchase of an additional block for the enlargement of the Hunt site for the new Capitol. An additional \$20,000 will be required for this purpose, making the total authorized expenditure for the site \$60,000.

The fact that a vote is to be taken in Kentucky next November on a constitutional amendment proposing a return to the viva voce system of voting seems to have escaped the attention of the public so far. The press has not yet taken up the matter for discussion, but will doubtless do so in a short time. Our columns are open to brief and pointed articles on this subject.

There is considerable sentiment throughout this county in favor of issuing bonds to build public roads, the law requires that this question be submitted to the voters at an election at which county officers are elected for regular terms. If a proposal of this kind is contemplated it must be submitted this year or passed over for four years. \$75,000 to \$100,000 spent by a competent, conscientious civil engineer would prove the greatest thing that was ever done for the county.

ESTEP.
Eliza McGlothlin and son made a flying trip to Ashland last week. The quarterly meeting will be held at Garrett's Chapel, 4th and 5th of February. Our prayer meeting is progressing nicely at Garrett's Chapel. Bertha Jackson made her return Thursday from Hampton City where she has been visiting relatives.

Eliza McGlothlin went to Portsmouth last month to attend school. Grant Powers called on Carrie Queen.

Maggie McGlothlin and Fred Jackson will leave this place soon to visit relatives in Lewis county.

There is a large school at Beech Grove, Prof. Talbert teacher.

Billy Flanin and Estil Riffe have been up to buy cattle.

Green Bolt has returned from Thack or, W. Va.

SWAY-BACK KATE.

The writer noticed in last week's News a letter from this place, which I am sorry to say, was one continuous lie from beginning to ending. Now, I can't understand why some people are so devoid of truth as to write such infamous lies as appeared in that letter. Sauerker, you would do well to retire from your journalistic career, we think, or retire long enough to take a few lessons in the blessed truth, of which you are at present so very ignorant.

—Labad Compton.

The name signed to was that of a young lady and will be furnished to anyone who desires to know.—Ed.

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HARD LUCK.

A poor little fellow called Vaughan was playing one day on the lawn when a whirlwind came nigh, took him up to the sky, and none could tell where he had gone.

—Philadelphia Punch Bowl.

All kind of pickles at Sullivan's.

Valentines at Conley's.

Oysters every week at Sullivan's.

New stock of shoes, rubbers, felt and rubber boots. Pierce & Derrick.

Every ground hog with good eyes certainly saw his shadow yesterday.

Fresh rolls every Monday and Friday at Sullivan's.

Sam Rose has purchased several horses from C. F. See.

Fleischmann's Yeast twice a week at Spencers.

Canned apples, 25c per gallon at Sullivan's.

Nice hams, 12 1/2 cents at Sullivan's.

One house for rent.

G. V. Meek.

Sliced peaches, 10 cents a can at Sullivan's.

T. S. Salyer and family now occupy their cozy new cottage on Locust Avenue.

Why pay more? Our 5 and 10 cent counters will save your purse.

Pierce & Derrick.

Don't eat a poor quality of canned peaches when the best cost but little more. Rob Burchett has them.

Mrs. C. J. Carey is able to be out after an illness of a few days from tonics.

Dimes do the work of quarters on our five and ten cent counters.

Pierce & Derrick.

Assistant U. S. Engineer Homer A. Scholes has been appointed local member of the Civil Service Board of Examiners.

A large quantity of fine ice from the river is being stored away here for use next summer. Some of it is more than seven inches thick.

Miss Lillian McHenry, assistant in the postoffice at this place, has been suffering from an attack of tonsilitis.

Mrs. Preese & Thompson, who have been here for some time, have gone to Matewan, W. Va., to engage in business.

There is nothing more enjoyable than a good bath in Mr. Wellman's new bath room, in connection with his barber shop. Try it.

D. M. Ward and family have moved from the rooms over the Yates' store building into those back of Burns, Carter & O'Neal's law offices.

The articles advertised in last week's news were not shipped owing to the weather being so cold. They will be here this week if weather will permit shipping.

D. C. Spencer.

At last Sunday morning's service at the M. E. Church, South, the following were received into the church: Misses Ida Hewlett, Martha Vaughan, Lydia O'Brien and Emma Crider.

VALENTINES.—A large line of coms and a choice selection of fancy valentines will be placed on sale at Conley's store tomorrow (Saturday).

The suggestion of a Board of Trade for Louisa meets with general approval, and a meeting of the citizens will be called in our next issue to organize.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Reynolds are quarantined at a hotel at Bluefield, W. Va., against scarlet fever. The last report from there says Mr. Reynolds is suffering from the disease.

Jake Scarberry, a sectionman living at Gallup, was brought to Louisa day before yesterday, suffering with a broken rib, received while at work on the road. C. & O. surgeon Wren attended to the injury.

Clarence Crutcher has gone to Home City, Ohio, to take a position with the Sheridan-Kirk Contract Co. He is a hustling foreman and will probably be with that company for quite awhile.

The funeral of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Burchett, Jr., took place Saturday afternoon from their residence on upper Jefferson street. Rev. O. F. Williams conducted the services. Burial in Pine Hill cemetery.

We have just received a full line of high grade grass seeds. We handle only the best. Call and inspect our line before buying elsewhere.

D. J. Burchett, Jr., & Co.

Store opposite depot.

Elliot Marcus, of Catlettsburg, was here Wednesday trading a man named John Blackburn, who has disappeared with a horse and buggy belonging at Marcus' livery stable. He hired the rig on Monday and was to return it that evening, but has not yet shown up.

WHAT ARE THEY?

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. A new remedy for stomach trouble, biliousness and constipation and a good one. Price 25 cents. For sale by A. M. Hughes.

Site For Rifle Range.

The regulations of the United States army require that a certain amount of time shall be devoted yearly to target practice by all who are in the active service. This practice is held every summer and is participated in by enlisted men and officers alike. Each military post is supposed to have its target range, and as the country becomes more thickly settled rifle ranges are more and more difficult to obtain. The ground now used by the troops at Ft. Thomas, near Cincinnati, is no longer available, and with the view of leasing or purchasing a tract suitable for the purpose a Board of United States Officers visited Louisa and vicinity day before yesterday. The members of the commission were Captain H. F. Reithaus, Captain G. E. Shaw and Lieutenant R. J. Burr, all of Ft. Thomas. They were accompanied by J. D. Potts, of Cincinnati, Assistant General Passenger Agent, C. & O. Ry. Together with some of our prominent citizens these gentlemen made a thorough inspection of the land lying on the Point between Tug and Levisa nearly as far up as Three Mile creek. The Commissioners were very favorably impressed with the ground and the location, more particularly with that part lying between the County road and the Levisa fork. It is sparsely settled, slightly rolling, but level enough to be well drained, and with such work as the United States would put upon it would make an ideal place for target practice at any and all distances. Another thing in favor of Louisa and vicinity is its healthfulness and good morals. There are no saloons here or hereabouts, and drinking among the soldiers while in camp here would be by minimized, and the money which would otherwise be spent in saloons would, with much other money, be spent among our merchants. The soldiers belonging to Columbus (O.) barracks use the range with the Ft. Thomas troops, hence, during the target season of two months several hundred men would be encamped in this vicinity.

In case this site should be recommended by the Commissioners the price of the land will decide the matter. If too high, it will not be accepted. It is hoped that an agreement may be reached on a reasonable basis, in case the property is wanted.

The following taken from a Los Angeles (Cal.) newspaper will be of interest to the many friends of Alexander Lackey, who is out there for his health: "Among the other affairs which have been decided lately is that for the imported automobile which Hutchins, the confectioner, has had in his show window. The automobile was filled with the choicest chocolates that could be had, and was well worth contesting for. The lucky number is 9112, held by Alexander Lackey, who is spending the winter in Redlands with his friends, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Beer."

We, the undersigned officers and directors of the Preston Produce Company, hereby give notice that said company has dissolved and is closing up its affairs. Any person holding claims against said company must present same to Robt. L. Vinson, Treasurer.

This January 25th, 1905.

J. H. Preston, President.

H. C. Sullivan, Secretary.

R. L. Vinson, Treasurer.

W. V. Roberts, Director.

L. H. York, Director.

Services at the M. E. Church South for the week.

Sunday School 9:30 a. m., Judge R. T. Burns Superintendent.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. by the pastor.

Midweek prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 7 p. m. o'clock.

Our services will begin promptly the hours announced, by sun time. You are cordially invited to worship with us. O. F. Williams, Pastor

The Democratic Precinct Committee men are hereby called to meet at my office in Louisa, Ky., on the 18th day of February, 1905, for the purpose of fixing the time and manner of holding the Democratic convention to nominate candidates for the various county offices to be voted for at the November election, 1905. All of the candidates for the various offices are requested to be present.

BERT SHANNON, Chairman.

Mr. Hiram B. Brumberg arrived in the city last evening with his line of merchant tailoring samples for spring and summer. Mr. Brumberg admitted to the press that he was a trifle early, but he upholds the old adage that the early bird catches the worm. He is stopping at the Brunswick Hotel and would be pleased to call on any one in need of clothes or have them call on him.

Mill, Steam and Gas Engine repairing, Brass Goods, Mine and Lumber Trucks, Pipe, Valve and Fittings, Granite Bars, Castings, Leather and Rubber Belting, Boiler Flues, Mail orders solicited. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Frank E. Kilbourne,

21st St. and Greenup Ave.,

On street car line, Ashland, Ky.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the Louisa postoffice for the week ending last Saturday:

Mr. Oscar Chaney (2)

Mr. William Hinds.

Miss Bessie Walden.

Mrs. Nettie Blankenship.

A. M. Hughes, P. M.

Miss Ethel O'Brien pleasantly entertained Saturday evening complimentary to her sister, Miss Margaret O'Brien, who was here from Holden, W. Va. A number of guests including J. W. Woods of Ashland, J. R. Lyon of Lynchburg, and Dan Wheeler, of Paintsville, enjoyed this delightful occasion.

James E. Leslie has been appointed Postmaster at Hulstine, the county

Arrested the Culprit.

Deputy U. S. Marshal T. S. Salter did a good piece of detective work on the case of the fellow who threw a rock through the window of a C. & O. passenger train near Potters station recently. He has arrested and landed in jail Thos. Mullins, of Wayne county, W. Va., upon the charge of committing this crime. The proof is strong and at the examining trial held here Wednesday before Judge Vinson, Mullins was held to answer to the grand jury in the sum of \$500, in default of which he was sent to jail.

Mullins is about 20 years of age. He has no excuse for the act except pure cussedness.

Your Eyes.

Many people are suffering from defective eyes and do not realize what the trouble is. That almost constant headache is due to eye-strain and can only be cured by glasses properly fitted. Hundreds of people continue to squint and strain their eyes in reading long after they should have used glasses. This is doing permanent injury to the eyes and should be stopped. Those who have never used properly fitted glasses can not realize the great relief afforded until they try a good pair. Go to Gentry's Store and have an examination made by Mr. E. E. Henery, who is a graduate optician of long experience and as competent as is found anywhere. Examination free.

Deer For Sale.

We have two young deer for sale for the reason that we will have no place to keep them when we go into business in West Virginia. They are of the large black tail family and are as gentle as dogs. They were caught in the State of Washington by M. H. Thompson and a companion. They are fine pets and we regret to part with them. Will sell them at a reasonable price if disposed of within ten days. They are on the Wylie Burchett farm five miles from Louisa. —Preece & Thompson.

Contractor Roberts Sells Out.

Dr. M. G. Watson, who has held a half interest in The T. H. Roberts Contract Company since its organization, has purchased the stock of Mr. T. H. Roberts. The company has contracts for culvert and arch work on the C. & O. railroad which will require almost two years to complete. Mr. Roberts has other matters in view, but his plans have not as yet been made public.

Cut Prices.

For two weeks only Alpha or Princess flour \$6.10; Kentucky Mills flour \$6.50. Smoked bacon, fat back, 7 1/2c. Dry salt bacon, fat backs, 6 1/2c. American oats 5c pk. Nice lot of clothing for men and boys; saddles, bridles, breeching, check lines, one and two horse turning plows, and all winter goods will go in this sale at actual cost. —G. V. Meek.

CINCINNATI MARKETS.

CATTLE: Quiet; good light butchers' steers; shippers' \$4 to 5; butchers' steers, extra, \$4.65 to 4.75, good to choice \$4 to 4.60, common to fair \$2.60 to 3.75 heifers, extra 4.10 to 4.25 good to choice \$3.60 to 4, common to fair 2 to 3.50.

HOGS: Active; good to choice packers' and butchers' 4.95 to 5, mixed packers' 4.85 to 4.95, stags 2.85 to 3.65, common to choice heavy fat sows 4 to 4.50, light shippers' 4.60 to 4.80 pigs (110 lbs. and less) 4.25 to 4.50.

SHEEP: Easy to a shade lower; extra 5 to 5.25, good to choice 4.75 to 4.99, common to fair 2.75 to 4.40.

The protracted meeting at the M. E. Church, South, has not yet closed. There have been 25 or more conversations and many rejections. The interest seems unabated, although this is the third week of the meeting. Rev. Williams has conducted two services each week day during this time and three on Sunday.

We carry a full stock of flour and meal in paper bags for our retail trade. You will save money by calling on us when in need of anything in the feed line, wholesale and retail. All goods delivered promptly. Store opposite depot.

D. J. Burchett, Jr., & Company.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of execution No. 1710, directed to me, which issued from the Lawrence Quarterly Court against J. M. McClure, F. C. McClure and Wm. Fulkerson, in favor of M. S. Burns for the sum of \$150 with interest from Nov. 12, 1903, until paid, of \$12.80 costs, I or one of my dependents will, on Monday, Feb. 20th, 1905, about one o'clock p. m., proceed to expose to public sale from the front door of the court house in Louisa, Lawrence county, Ky., to the highest and best bidder, the following described property, (or so much thereof as may be necessary to produce the sum above named) to wit: That certain town lot in Louisa Lawrence county, Ky., described as follows: beginning at the north-east corner of Perry and Main-Cross street, thence running with Perry street to G. E. Fugitt's, thence with Fugitt's line to Wm. Caperton and Sherman. Pigg's line, thence westerly with Pigg's line to Main-Cross street, and with Main-Cross street to the beginning, being the same lot conveyed by Garret & Lackey to George H. Fulkerson. Levied upon as the property of Wm. Fulkerson.

Mr. Caudill and John McVale are on their way to Ashland.

Mrs. Allison of Blaine, who has been to Carter for three weeks returned to day.

Mr. Caldwell has returned from Virginia.

Mr. Skaggs and wife are here on their way home to Laurel.

Mr. Lyons of Upper Laurel, was in Friday in a two-horse sleigh.

K. H. Holbrook and wife, of Blaine, are here visiting their mother, Mrs. Judge Woods.

Mr. Adkins, oil man from Blaine, is here to day.

A special train carried our Royal Arch Masons to Greenup to attend a banquet, and came back that night.

Success to the NEWS. We hope for better mail service at this place.

Pit.

B. H. Harris is now running the Hotel Florence in Catlettsburg. This is what was formerly the Price House, completely overhauled and newly furnished throughout in an up-to-date manner. Mr. Harris is very popular with the traveling public and is now in position to take good care of his patrons.

The largest line of valentines ever brought here may be seen at Conley's store.

James E. Leslie has been appointed Postmaster at Hulstine, the county

Death of James D. Hill.

A telegram was received Wednesday by Prof. C. C. Hill announcing the death of his father at Louisville. He left at once for that place. His room in the public school was dismissed until his return. The following mention of his father's death is made in the Louisville Times:

"James D. Hill, aged eighty-five years, a retired printer, died of uremia last midnight at the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. C. Haynes, No. 3 Innes Court. He had been ill since Sunday. He is survived by five children, Mrs. P. D. Jackson, Mrs. A. C. Haynes and E. A. Hill, of Louisville; Mrs. R. B. Cross, of Lumberville, N. C., and C. C. Hill, of Louisville, Ky. Mr. Hill was born and reared at Knoxville, Tenn. He came to Louisville about thirty years ago and worked at his trade until eight years ago, when he resigned his position with the Western Recorder and retired. He was a Mason."

To Families of Deceased Officers

Judge R. F. Vinson announces that the relatives of the deceased County Judges, Clerks and Sheriffs of Lawrence county will deliver to him the pictures of these men he will see that they are placed in position on the walls of the respective offices in the court house. These pictures should be about 18x20, so as to be sufficiently large for wall pictures and it is desired that the sizes should be as nearly

BOOZE OR MEDICINE?

Which will you have? If a woman suffering from one of the delicate ailments peculiar to her sex it will be well for you to have that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription as the only remedy. It is good for such maladies which is absolutely free from intoxicating liquors and other poisons. The good results from its use in not the definite exhilaration from a tipping beverage, from which the system reacts into a worse condition than before. It may be a little easier in the first instance, but the invigorating action, but its benefits are none the less positive and best of all, there are no side effects. It's an honest medicine.

"I have been taking your medicine for the last three weeks and am feeling much better. Mrs. Jane, of Kenney, of one hundred and Sixty Street, Pleasantville, is a doctor who has our family and but is reliable and who takes no medicine. I took Dr. Pierce's medicine several years ago, and it was good for my condition. I have had no trouble since. Have taken only one bottle and am gaining strength very rapidly. I am now in full possession of my health again. I am taking your medicine. It comes with your treatment. I will be cured."

Every suffering woman in this land should write to Dr. Pierce and learn how certainly he can help her to health. It is a simple, money-saving, write and receive entirely free the advice of one of the most experienced physicians in this country. His great thousand page book, "The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York," Richard A. McCurdy, President.

F. H. YATES, Dist. Mgr., Louisville, Ky.

Men Who Breathe Deep

not only live long, but think hard, plan well and protect their estate by Life Insurance. Such men will be interested in reading how the greatest trust fund in the world is invested, as described in "A Banker's Will." A curious provision of his will is well worth considering. Send to-day for the pamphlet.

This Company ranks First in Assets, First in Amount Paid Policy-holders, First in Age.

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RICHARD A. McCURDY, President.

F. H. YATES, Dist. Mgr., Louisville, Ky.

are sorry to lose him as he is a good neighbor.

Jasper Burton, of Magoffin county, is here to spend the winter.

J. A. Frasher and wife visited on Blaine Sunday.

Lake Compton, of Richardson, is expected home soon.

Alex Burns and family will leave soon for Liverpool, Ohio, where they will make their future home.

J. E. Leslie purchased a fine lot of dry goods and groceries last week.

Talbert Bostick visited home folks Sunday.

Messrs. Curt and Sam Estep, of Buchanan, visited D. K. Leslie Sunday.

David Edmons, of Mavity, was here Sunday.

Gracie Leslie visited friends at Buchanan, a few days ago.

Nell Savage and Denn Queen, of Seidwick, attended church at the place Sunday.

Rev. Cassady will preach at the place the second Sunday in next month.

John Large has been doing some fine work on his barn.

Mrs. Fannie Gussler was here Saturday.

The quarterly meeting was not held at Dry Ridge on account of the bad weather.

Miss Lora Little called on Kitty Atkins Friday.

John Large has purchased a fine buggy.

Miss Ruby Atkins will soon leave for West Virginia.

Born to Evans Derifield and wife, a girl—Loche.

Mrs. Ella Roberts is visiting her sister, Mrs. Derifield.

Marta Miller will soon leave for Columbus, O., where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Staley.

Charlie Miller has returned home.

Let us hear from Adams again.

Guess Who.

A THOUSAND DOLLARS THROWN AWAY.

Mr. W. W. Baker, of Plainview, Neb., writes: "My wife has had trouble for over fifteen years. We tried a number of doctors and spent over a thousand dollars without any relief. She was very low and I lost all hope, when a friend suggested trying Foley's Honey and Tar, which I did, and thanks to this great remedy, it saved her life. She is stronger and enjoys better health than she has ever known in ten years. We shall never be without Foley's Honey and Tar and would ask those afflicted to try it." Sold by Louisa Drug Co.

ADAMS.

Mrs. G. A. Berry and son made a flying trip to Basyeville Saturday. Johnnie Hays has just returned home from a trip to Paintsville.

James Gussler passed up our creek Sunday enroute to Blaine.

Lee Nickles, of Blaine, was the guest of Hays Hays recently.

Mrs. Martha Jordan was here Saturday.

Mrs. Pattie Fraley called on Mrs. Louisa Hays Saturday.

Della Curnutt called on home folks recently.

Several of the young folks attended the corn popping at John R. Spencer's.

Several of the young folks attended

For Thin Babies

Fat is of great account to a baby; that is why babies are fat. If your baby is scrawny, Scott's Emulsion is what he wants. The healthy baby stores as fat what it does not need immediately for bone and muscle. Fat babies are happy; they do not cry; they are rich; their fat is laid up for time of need. They are happy because they are comfortable. The fat surrounds their little nerves and cushions them. When they are scrawny those nerves are hurt at every ungentle touch. They delight in Scott's Emulsion. It is as sweet as wholesome to them.

Send for free sample.

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BLACK - DRAUGHT STOCK and POULTRY MEDICINE

Stock and poultry have few troubles which are not bowel and liver irregularities. Black Draught Stock and Poultry Medicine is a bowel and liver remedy.

It puts the organs of digestion in a perfect condition. Prolific American breeders and farmers keep their hens and flocks healthy by giving them an occasional dose of Black-Draught Stock and Poultry Medicine in their food. It is a mixer which will 25-cent half-pound air-tight can of this medicine from his dealer and keep his stock in vigorous health for weeks. Dealers generally keep Black-Draught Stock and Poultry Medicine in their food, as it is a mixer which will 25-cent half-pound air-tight can of this medicine from his dealer and keep his stock in vigorous health for weeks.

Miss Maggie See opened a winter school here Monday with good attendance.

J. F. Stump moved to his new home at Chapman Monday. We are sorry to lose them, and we commend them to the people there.

Miss Lizzie Hatten went to Louisa Saturday for a visit with her sister Mrs. Wallace.

L. E. Bennett came up from Ashland and spent Sunday.

Miss Eula Hensley and Net Chapman and operator Scott, of Round Bottom, spent Sunday in Buchanan.

Mrs. John Cross, who has been ill so long, we are sorry to say is not improving.

Matthew Stewart visited home folks at Durbin Sunday.

Brake man John Compton is at home on the sick list.

J. M. Rice Sundaded with Louisa friends.

Supt. McKay is a business visitor in Ashland to-day.

Miss Lizzie Williamson has been quite sick this week.

Little Miss Jocie See, of Walbridge, entered school here Monday.

A. M. Goodman and J. B. King are chatting the merchants here to-day.

J. R. Estep is in Cattletburg to-day on business.

John Letts was called to Kenova last week by the sudden death of his mother. The remains were brought to White Creek and entered in the

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